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## PROGRAM

For This Week's Proceedings in the National Congress.

## Senate Has Denmark Treaty

And a Number of Other Important Measures That Will Come Up for Consideration.

The House Will Also be Active.

Washington Feb 17.—The greater part of the day was devoted by the committee to an effort to ratify the treaty with Denmark for the cession of the Danish West Indies. Thus far there has been no marked evidence of opposition to the treaty but Senator Bacon has indicated a purpose of offering an amendment to the agreement and discussing it to some extent. What further discussion may develop remains to be seen.

The consideration of the treaty was concluded Monday its final disposition probably will be postponed for several days, as Senator Lodge has agreed to withdraw the Philippine bill only for the one day. With reference to the Philippine bill it is rather probable that a vote will be taken during the latter part of the week. The Democrats have been in conference on the subject and have reached the conclusion that they will be unable to conclude the presentation of an amendment to the bill in a few days. An agreement having been reached on the date of the final disposition of the bill is likely to be reached on Friday or Saturday next will be the date for deciding the fate of the bill. There are still a few steps to be taken on the part of the Senate, most of the speeches toward the end of the debate will be brief and unanimous consent to the cession will be voted for after the debate on the Philippine bill is taken. It is expected that the vote will be reached on the bill in a very little more than a week.

In the House Feb 17.—The picture of the day is to be one of unusual activity in the House of representatives. The opening of the war revenue bill with two days for debate and a concurrent special rule bringing the bill to a vote at 3 p.m. and without intervening motion to recommit or change other than a verbal character is now in the works. The Indian appropriation bill will be taken up Wednesday with other appropriation bills, the diplomatic and consular and the postoffice, in reserve. Chairman Sherman of the Indian affairs committee expects to occupy two or three days so that the other appropriation bills probably will go over until the following week. In that case private claims will get some consideration in latter part of the week.

There are several important measures of general legislation now ready for consideration including the anti-trust bill and the Pacific cable bill. The intention, however, is not to consider these general measures so long as an appropriation bill remains unacted on. Besides the work on the floor of the house, it is expected that the coming week may see some progress in the ways and means committee on the subject of Cuban reciprocity which was deferred until after the war revenue reduction has been passed.

## REAR-END

Collision Occurs on the Central.

Two Persons Killed and Five Others Injured.

Remarkable Feature is That Both Trains were in Motion and the Freight Train Hit the Special.

Litchfield, Ills., Feb 17.—Two persons met death and five were injured in a rear-end collision between the "diamond special" of the Illinois Central road and a freight train at a point five miles north of Litchfield. The collision was remarkable in that the fast passenger was ahead of the freight and that both trains were moving. The dead, E. B. Burns, fireman on freight locomotive, Frank Klemmer, brakeman on freight train, the injured, C. W. Castles, conductor, his injured and two ribs fractured, also hurt about the chest. John Donnelly, Chicago, cut about face and head, A. M. Dearborn, Chicago, too, bruised, D. Eaton, Pullman porter, S. Louis, cut about head and injured internally.

Live Stock Market. Chicago, Feb 17.—Cattle 21,000, steady; hogs 60,000, active, 19c to 15c; decline; sheep 24,000, steady.

Grain and Pork. Chicago, Feb. 17.—Closing 54c; wheat 73 6-18; corn 61 1/2; oats 14; pork 15 37.

The Weather. Washington, Feb. 17.—Ohio, snow tonight, colder to extreme northwest portion; Tuesday, fair and colder.

## CALMLY

Protests Innocence of the Crime.

Beautiful Brooklyn Girl is a Mystery

To the Police Who Have Her in the Tombs Charged With the Murder of her Sweetheart.

New York, Feb 17.—Florence Burns, a young and beautiful Brooklyn girl, who is accused of murdering her sweetheart, Walter S. Brooks, in a Glen Island hotel, is the wonder of the police and jailers in Tombs prison. From the moment of her arrest she has displayed a calmness that is astonishing in the face of the searching examination made by the police. "I know nothing about any shooting" has been her simple reply. Her relatives claim they can prove a strong alibi.

Was Too Young to Marry. New York, Feb 17.—Miss Burns, the alleged mistress, is a tall and stately blonde, and big blue eyes give her pretty face a lilylike, innocent look. Her father was formerly a promoter of athletic events and now as an insurance broker, has always earned a good income. He gave his daughter a fairly good education and a comfortable home. She met Walter S. Brooks about a year ago. They were too young to marry, but the boy was not too young, according to stories told to furnish her fair name. His refusal to marry her, according to the theory of the police, precipitated the murder.

## CALCIUM

Exploded Wrecking the Ship and Killing the Capt.

Marquette, Feb 17.—The steamship Pioneer with passengers from Canada was wrecked on the rocks of Cape L'Anse about 10 miles east of Towns during a snow storm today. The steamer had a load of coal on board which exploded, shattering the ship. The captain and one of the passengers were killed and two of the crew were injured. The remainder were saved by fishermen.

Castro's Troops Rout. Willemsbad, Island of Cuba, Feb 17.—Bad news for the revolutionists as the government has received a report from the interior of the country. The government has sent a number of soldiers. There were two engagements Saturday near Vila do Coelho between the government forces and the revolutionists under General Roca. The government forces were completely routed in these engagements, and a detachment of them passed over to the side of the revolutionists.

Woman Burned to Death. New York, Feb 17.—Mrs. Virginia Sures 50 was burned to death in the apartment in which she and her husband lived. Her apron caught fire at the kitchen stove. Mr. Sures and Police Officer Blessing, the latter a boarder with the family, were severely burned in trying to extinguish the flames which enveloped Mrs. Sures. There is some doubt of Mrs. Sures's recovery.

Desperate Battle. Summerville, Fla., Feb 17.—One killed and three seriously injured is the result of a desperate battle fought here between two negro prisoners named Henry Wilson and Julius Goodwin and a deputy sheriff and citizens of this place. The dead Lee Graham. The injured Deputy Sheriff Charles Lane Willie Price, George Stafford. All the foregoing are white.

For a State Hospital. Indianapolis, Feb 17.—Methodist churches of this city raised \$30,000 Sunday by subscriptions for a state hospital, which will be built here. The building will cost \$200,000, of which \$60,000 has now been pledged by prominent members of churches. Leading Methodist ministers from all parts of the country occupied the city pulpits.

Mother and Child Fatally Burned. Washington, Pa., Feb 17.—Mrs. Henry Dague and her 3-year-old son were fatally burned Friday evening by the child pulling an oil lamp off the table. An explosion followed and the blazing oil scattered over the two. Henry Dague, the husband, was also badly burned while trying to rescue his wife and child.

Mansions Collapsed. Naples, Feb. 17.—It is reported that eight persons were killed by the collapse of two mansions in the Via Calderari. Several bodies have been extricated from the ruins.

The Weather. For Ohio—Partly cloudy; rising temperature; light northwest winds, becoming variable.

For West Virginia and Kentucky—Partly cloudy; rising temperature; light variable winds.

## BILL

For the "Across the Pacific" Cable

Is Reported On

By the Committee on Commerce.

Committee Favors the Passage of the Measure in the House.

Report Sets Forth Argument That Future Peace and Prosperity of the Islands Depends on Our Facilities.

Washington, Feb 17.—The report filed by the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce recommending the passage of the bill introduced by Representative Corliss providing for government ownership of a Pacific cable says that the United States, by the annexation of Hawaii and the acquisition of the Philippines and other islands through the ratification of the Paris treaty, assumed the responsibility of maintaining peace in the Pacific ocean. This obligation, the report, which was prepared by Representative Corliss, the author of the bill, says was deliberately undertaken by this country and was approved by the united voice of the people.

It adds: "The future peace and prosperity of these islands will largely depend upon the facilities extended by our government for the advancement and enlightenment of the people there. If we are to continue in control of these islands, the people must be made to understand the character and purpose of our government and to feel the benefits of enlightened civilization and American liberty. This can be accomplished through the medium of cable communication. The advancement of our own people and the benefit of rapid communication through the telephone, telegraph and railway lines illustrate the advantages and the progress that may be achieved through cable messages."

## INSURGENT

Forces are Repulsed by Castro's Men.

A Second Effort Terminated With Same Result.

Government Gunboat Starts in Search of a Warship That is Loaded With Supplies for the Liberals.

Panama, Colombia, Feb 17.—A government soldier who was a prisoner in the camp of the Liberal General Herrera made his escape and arrived here. He reports that last week an Indian chief named Lorenzo attacked the government forces under the command of General Castro, at Agua Dulce, and was defeated. Reinforced by 800 men sent by General Herrera, Lorenzo made another attack on Castro's forces and was again repulsed. The government gunboat steamed from here on the lookout for the Nicaraguan gunboat Momotombo, which is believed to be bringing coal, provisions and ammunition to Liberals.

Mrs. Shepherd Arrested.

Columbus, O., Feb 17.—Mrs. Margaret L. Shepherd, lecturer, was arrested here on a charge of offering for sale an indecent book entitled "Revelations of the Secret Confession—Horror of the Carmelite Nunnery."

Causes for British Army.

Salt Lake City, Feb 17.—Three thousand western horses known as caucuses, gathered from the ranges of the intermountain states, are to be shipped to South Africa for use in the British army.

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## BLIZZARD

Holds New York City in Its Clutches.

Streets Blocked With Snow and Traffic Impaired.

Repeated Echoes of Whistles of Distress are Heard Along the Coast at Cape May, New Jersey.

New York, Feb 17.—New York and vicinity are in the throes of a blizzard, the worst that has visited New York for three years. The streets are blocked and all kinds of traffic is seriously interfered with. The city has 13,000 "white wings" at work cleaning the streets.

Whistles of Distress Heard. Cape May, N. J., Feb 17.—The severest blizzard of the winter began at 11 o'clock last night and is still raging. Repeated echoes of whistles of distress are heard out at sea.

## FREIGHTS

Collide on the P. & L. E., Killing Two Men.

Connellsville, Pa., Feb 17.—Engineer Lyons of McKees Rocks and his fireman P. W. Desoto of Buffalo, were killed in a head-on collision of freight trains on the Pittsburg, McKeesport and Youngstown division of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie railroad at Round Bottom. The trains came together as the result of disobeying orders of one of the crews. The victims were pinned under the wreckage four hours. Lyons dying 10 minutes before the rescuers reached him and Desoto surviving but 20 minutes after being taken out.

## FATAL

Termination of a Fight at Connellsville.

Connellsville, Pa., Feb 17.—Albert Fuller a prominent farmer of Frankfort township was fatally and Albert Stuart seriously wounded by Robert Moreland a young man who was accused of having insulted Mrs. William Sickle, a daughter of Fuller, just as a dance was breaking up at the Fuller home. Several of the male guests followed Moreland to his sleigh, when a fight took place with the above result.

For a Shorter Workday. Chicago, Feb 17.—The Chicago Federation of Labor adopted resolutions presented to that body by the Chicago postoffice clerks' union urging congress to pass legislation for a shorter workday, for employees of the postal service. The move is said to be the first action of the kind since the recent sweeping order of President Roosevelt in regard to postal employees going to congress for legislation.

Train Cut in Two.

Rochester, Feb 17.—A freight train crossing from the Buffalo and Rochester and Pittsburg tracks to No. 3 track on the New York Central, at Lincoln park, was struck and cut in two by the eastbound continental limited on the West Shore. Two trainmen were badly injured. Three freight cars were reduced to kindling wood and the engines of the limited and the freight were completely wrecked.

Reception to Irish Leaders.

New York, Feb 17.—W. H. Redmond, M. P., and Joseph Devlin, representatives to this country of the United Irish league, were given a reception Sunday night by Irish-Americans of this city at the Academy of Music. Subscriptions to the league amounting to over \$5,000 were announced. The meeting was addressed by W. Bourke Cockran, Mr. Redmond and others.

Three Seriously Injured.

Carbondale, Ills., Feb. 17.—Three persons were seriously injured in a head-on collision at Texas Junction, near here, on the Illinois Central road. Passenger train No. 26 collided with an extra freight. The passenger engineer, Robert Allen, Baggettman Charles Ashley and Mrs. J. S. Lewis, all of this city, were seriously injured.

Bulgarians Plotting.

London, Feb. 17.—Cabling from Constantinople, the correspondent of The Daily Chronicle declares the Bulgarians are planning a rising in Macedonia during the coming spring, and that they are endeavoring to persuade the Greeks to join them.

Dean Farrar Injured.

London, Feb. 17.—During a service in Canterbury cathedral Dean Farrar fell from a stall and sustained a bad scalp wound. He is, however, progressing favorably.

## BRITISH

Were Neatly Caught in a Trap by the Wily Boer Forces.

The Burghers were in Hiding and a Force of One Hundred and Fifty Britons Chased One Lone Boer to the Top of a Kopje. Casualties were Many.

Pretoria, Feb. 17.—One hundred and fifty mounted infantry while patrolling the Klip river south of Johannesburg, Feb. 12, surrounded a farmhouse where they suspected Boers were in hiding. A single Boer broke away from the house and the British started to pursue him. The Boer climbed a kopje, the British following. Immediately a heavy fire was opened upon them from three sides. The British found themselves in a trap and in a position where they were unable to make any defense. Eight of the British officers made a gallant effort and defended the ridge with carbines and revolvers until they were overpowered. The British had two officers and 10 men killed and several officers and 40 men wounded before the force was able to fall back under cover of a blockhouse.

According to special dispatches from Pretoria the mounted infantry were all fresh from home and unused to Boer tactics. The bulk of the casualties occurred during the retreat of the British. The Boer included Major Dowell, the commandant of the force. Boer Delegates Coming. Paris, Feb. 17.—The Temp. in an

## WHITECAP

Notices Sent Out to Employers of Negroes.

Vincennes, Ind., Feb. 17.—At Wheatland this county, there is a negro settlement. The negroes work for white farmers. All are quiet and inoffensive, but there is a prejudice against them. The following notices signed "Fire Bugs" were found Sunday, and they have produced a sensation. "Notice is hereby given that any man who employs negro labor after the first day of April."

## MASKED

Highwayman Shoots Helpless Girl at 'Frisco.

San Francisco, Feb. 17.—Another mystery, apparently as hopeless of solution as the murder of Nora Fuller, confronts the police. Annie Anderson, a domestic, was held up last night on her way home from church by a masked highwayman. When she screamed from fright the desperado shot her down. The girl will probably die.

Mexican Town Threatened.

Chilpancingo, State of Guerrero, Feb. 17.—Great alarm still prevails here over the discovery of seven small openings in the mountain between this city and Chilapa, from which smoke is issuing, it being feared that the city is in danger of a greater peril than that recently experienced. The terror of the inhabitants was added to by an earthquake that occurred between 1 and 2 o'clock Sunday morning, which was severe enough to wake the entire city from slumber.

President's Cousin.

New York, Feb. 17.—Cornelius Roosevelt, 54, the only surviving son of the late President Roosevelt and a cousin to President Roosevelt, is dead of heart disease in this city.

Prominent Man's Deed.

Helena, Mont., Feb. 17.—Harold M. Cole, a prominent citizen, connected with the American Smelting and Refining company, shot his wife and committed suicide.

Direct Steamship Line.

Established between San Francisco and Manila.

Transatlantic wireless telegraph rates will be 60 per cent lower than by cable.

Walls, the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Nowak of Hammond, Ind., is said to have deliberately set fire to the clothing of his baby sister and watched her burn to death.







## LEFT

For the Judge to Untangle.

## Knotty Point

Developes in the Settlement of an Estate

And Judge Miller After a Hearing Has it Under Advisement.

Slate Simmons Who Protests His Innocence Will be the First Prisoner to be Brought to Trial.

Probate Judge Miller has a question of law to decide in the matter of the settlement of the estate of Frederick Bolander which, in its present form, is entirely new. It came up on the application of Ruben Rex, administrator of Frederick Bolander, to sell real estate, which was opposed by one of the children. In presenting the case the defendant's protest was made in the ground that there were no existing debts and for that reason no necessity for sale.

On the other hand the administrator explained that a claim had been filed by the administrator of S. D. Bolander, a son of Frederick Bolander, who had paid out of his own pocket some of the debts of his father.

The court was made acquainted with the unique situation that S. D. Bolander had been named as executor in his father's will and at once began to settle up affairs without waiting to be legally appointed. He used his own money to pay the debts without resorting to the law, of the deceased's property, and shortly after took his own life.

The estate is therefore indebted to him for money expended and his administrator filed the claim with the court. It now remains with the court to decide whether or not the claim is a valid one and whether the law will condemn that A. D. Bolander's estate is entitled to recover. If it is decided it will be necessary to sell the property and as the estate is a small one such a course would leave practically nothing for Frederick Bolander's widow.

Quarter of a Million. Perhaps the largest return made in an attachment suit in the history of the sheriff's office was filed today in the case of George H. Meily vs. The St. Marys Franco-American Petroleum Company. The full description covers several type written pages and the total amount exceeds \$225,000.

State on Trial.

State Simmons, who has figured in many a melee and has made his obituary before the mayor on numerous occasions, will appear in Common Pleas court tomorrow as the defendant in a state case and endeavor to convince court and jury that he was in no way connected with the burglarizing of Boyd Douglas' grocery. Simmons will be defended by Attorney W. C. Henderson.

Two Wills Filed. The will of the late David E. Baxter, of Marion township, was filed for probate this morning. The estate, which is a valuable one, consists, among other property, of 103 acres of land, all of which is left to the widow during her life and is then to be divided equally among the children.

The will of Cyrus Conrad, deceased, was probated this morning. The deceased left a wife but no children, and the former receives the small property unconditionally.

Released on Bond.

Samuel P. Edsell, the junk dealer, who was indicted for breaking into a Lake Erie car with Fred Slawson and looting and stealing journal brasses, was released this morning, bond in the sum of \$500 being furnished for his appearance on the day of trial.

Court Briefs. Judge Cunningham left for Celina this morning, where he will hold a two-hour session of court, returning tomorrow morning.

The Children's Friend. There is no use trying to persuade American mothers that a substitute exists for Perry Davis' Painkiller. They know how it relieves the troubles of childhood, from sprained arms and legs to stomachache. Other preparations may do good, Painkiller is certain to. A big difference, and one that has been recognized for sixty years. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis.

Edsel Robins, Inc. at Townsend's.

## TO REST

'Mid Flowers and Tears of Friends

The Remains of Mrs. Harry Bell were Consigned.

Funeral Services Held at the Sadened Home and Conducted by the Pastor of Trinity M. E. Church.

The last sad rites over the remains of Mrs. Sophia Bell, wife of Engineer Harry Bell, were held at the late residence of the deceased, on south West street, at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and the large attendance of friends of the departed and of the reared husband was a testimonial more beautiful than words of the love and esteem that was entertained for the estimable young wife and mother whose sudden demise was so severe a shock to many. The services were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Flegley, pastor of Trinity M. E. church, and were sad and impressive. Beautiful sacred hymns were sung by a mixed quartette, and at the close of the service at the residence the funeral cortage proceeded to Woodlawn cemetery, where the remains were placed in the receiving vault. The floral offerings that surrounded the casket were as profuse as they were beautiful. The pall-bearers were engineer Chas. E. Nutting, J. B. McWhirr, and R. B. Hickok, and Messrs. J. J. Studer, J. W. Beall and William D. Waldorf.

## PROGRAM

For the Farmers' Institute Session at Yoder.

Following is the program of the Yoder farmers' institute to be held in Perry township hall Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 20 and 21, 1902:

Lecturers—W. J. Green, Ex. Sup. Webster, Ohio. S. H. Todd, Wauseon, Ohio.

Planting an orchard. W. J. Green should the farmer raise pure breed animals for the general market? If not, why not? S. H. Todd.

Buying and using fertilizers so as not to lose money. S. H. Todd.

P. M. Session, Wednesday, Feb. 26.

Steep Husbandry. S. H. Todd.

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# Coughs, Colds and Winter Ills

Elixir treatment  
of Winter IllsWhat Winter Ills  
mean  
How treatedA remedy  
that meets  
every demandCurative  
Restorative  
ReconstructiveVery pleasant to  
take. Very  
positive action

Nearly all the medicines sold for the cure of throat and lung troubles, colds, coughs, grippe, bronchitis, consumption, catarhal conditions—and like winter ills, are mainly stimulants and narcotics. Give temporary relief; do no permanent good.

Any of these troubles indicate the weakening of some vital part—a *real cure* requires something that builds up.

That best something is cod liver oil in the new form—without the grease. That best form of cod liver oil is Hagee's Cordial of Cod Liver Oil (with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda).

Hagee's Cordial is best because it contains all the well-known curative and restorative powers of cod liver oil, with the grease left out. Any stomach will take it and retain it.

There is no disagreeable taste, no unpleasant odor, no nausea, when you take Hagee's Cordial. It is a thin fluid, pleasant to taste—every drop of it goes directly to tissue-making, strength-making, health-making, flesh-making.

Sold by all druggists. Prepared by  
Katharmon Chemical Company, St. Louis, Mo.

Rule Justice.  
A certain Arizona Justice of the peace, whose knowledge of the law was never gained from books or actual practice before the bar, was hearing an assault and battery case. The lawyer for the defense was laying his arguments when the court said:  
"That will do. Sit down."  
He then adjusted his spectacles and quietly observed:  
"I'm not standin' up. Accordin' to the law standin' up—an there is no excuse—O! I found you guilty, son, an I'm givin' you \$20. If you all guilty, faith, it's a very high sentence, an if you are not guilty I'll be a mighty good lesson for you!"—Detroit Free Press.

All druggists guarantees every bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for la grippe, colds, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia.

Remedies of Dr. King.

Two noblemen who had slipped past the meridian of life without hardly observing the fact were talking about ages while eating a deliberate luncheon in the Lawlers' club a couple of days ago when one of them told a story which embodies the experience of more than one man.

"It really came to me with a little shock," he said. "I took a sleeper at Buffalo for New York, and there were only half a dozen men aboard when I retired for the night. In the morning while in the toilet room brushing my hair I saw in the mirror the reflection of the back of an old gentleman I did not remember seeing before. He appeared much older than any man I had noticed on the car the night before, and I made up my mind that he had come aboard after I had gone to bed."

"I watched the reflection while arranging my hair and then turned, intending to speak to the old gentleman. You can imagine my surprise when I found that I had been looking at the reflection of my own back!"—New York Herald.

Dr. Wheeler Got Rid of his Rheumatism.

"During the winter of 1898 I was so lame in my joints, in fact all over my body, that I could hardly hobble around, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Palm Balm. From the first application I began to get well and was cured and have worked steadily all the year.—R. Wheeler, Northwood, N. Y. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

## BETRAYAL

Out of the chilling rain and fog  
That bid the air chill and dim our sight  
A dark cloud came, drifting down  
At early dawn.

The cloud clung to the late  
And a sordid, pale, dreary  
And sombre atmosphere like  
A ghost of Longing.

We started, torn by a sense of fear;  
The sun had gone dark no more.  
When suddenly it shot out  
And a red glow filled the space.

The world was like a dream,  
But they were dark, and all but red  
The dark pillars rose, and on the waves  
The dead and living le.

At last out the brooding mist  
The sun shone bright as it came,  
A golden glow, with crimson tint  
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## PILES OF PEOPLE

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## Told Her Story.

The little daughter of a man who had been chosen for jury duty in London the other day went to the Judge and said: "Please, sir, father can't come. He can't put on his boots."

The judge asked the nervous little creature what was the matter with her father. Her hesitation showed that she had not been sufficiently equipped for the complete deception of the wary official. He repeated his question.

"Well, sir," she said, looking straight into the judge's twinkling eyes, "I never don't wear boots. He's got wooden legs. I wasn't told to tell you anything else, sir; that's all."

## Had to Conquer or Die.

"I was just about gone," writes Mrs. Ross Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N.C., "I had consumption so badly that the best doctors said I could not live more than a month, but I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by seven bottles and am now stout and well." It's an unrivaled life-saver in Consumption, Pneumonia, La Grippe and Bronchitis; infallible for Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Hay Fever, Croup or Whooping Cough. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

## The Only Difference.

Mrs. Sympson—Now that you have got your divorce and are happy with Mr. Ranger, life is real once more, isn't it? Mrs. Ranger—Oh, yes; only it's very much like it used to be, except that the piano is a different make—Brooklyn Life.

## The President Scotsman.

A cautious Scotsman, 55 years old, had saved enough to purchase a piece of freehold land upon which he had laid his eye for some time. He reported to the freeholder and opened negotiations for the purchase. The freeholder, however, informed him that for some reason or other he could not part with the freehold, but said he would give him a lease for 999 years. This, he was informed, was practically the same thing. "No, no," said the aged one, shaking his gray head; "time softens all."

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## Coming to the Point.

Mr. Grogan—What a power of funerals they do be havin' at the church these days! Shure, it's shtarated me thinkin'.

Miss Casey—Thinkin' at what?

Mr. Grogan—That when it come to me for my funeral would you be the widdy?—Philadelphia Press.

## Cold Cure for Busy People.

Many people neglect a cold because they say they have no time to attend to it. Krause's Cold Cure is a remedy which can be taken without danger while performing your daily duties, and will relieve the most aggravated case in 24 hours. Price 25c. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

## Agreed.

Shu—And so you are a bachelor. Well, there is always hope for bachelors.

Hi—That's so. It's never absolutely certain that they will marry.

Nothing raises the price of a blessing like its removal, whereas it was its continuance which should have cost us its value.—Hannah Moore.

J. A. Lambert, of Rachel, N. C. writes: "I heartily endorse Foley's Kidney Cure. It does what you claim it will do, and there is nothing equal to it, and I thank you for the good it has done me." Accept no substitutes. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp.



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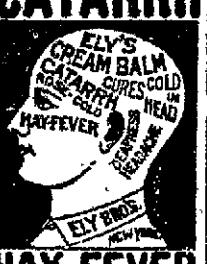
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there will be some time in her career as hostess that she will display annoyance or flurry, and the contagion spreading to her guests, will die out in an undisguised failure.

A model hostess must to all appearances be made of stone, so far as disagreeable happenings are concerned. Even through a guest or careless waiter inadvertently breaks a bit of China which can never be replaced, she must smile as though the loss of the whole set would but emphasize the pleasure of the evening. Her well bred calm inspires her guests with a feeling of confidence, and, though in her heart she may be very dubious about certain important details of her dinner or dance, if she does not show her anxiety everything will pass off to a happy conclusion.

A hurried hostess or nervous host whose countenance but hardly conceals the worry felt can do more toward making the guests uncomfortable than if the soup were served stone cold and the salad dressing was ruined by a too bountiful quantity of vinegar. An imperturbable calm and a ready tact are the two important factors in the making of a model hostess.

W. W. Umbarger, grocer of Marshall Mo., writes:

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It can be applied to any part of the skin, but should be kept away from eyebrows, lashes and hair about the face because of its bleaching power. For superfluous hair upon the skin it can be used with profit, as it takes out the color by repeated application and when used often enough will weaken the hair.

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Mistakes in Furnishings.

An error which the inexperienced house furnisher often makes is to put two rods of different tones in rooms that open into each other. A hall, perhaps, will have terra cotta on the walls, and there will be red in the dining room to which it leads. This is wrong. Put a negative color on the hall, a tone of buff or mastic, with a small broken figure in soft tones that there may be no suggestion or strong contrast to the red of the adjoining room. If blue is to be used in the dining room, not too light a yellow may be put on the hall. It is these jarring arrangements in adjacent rooms that may destroy wholly an effect in either apartment that by itself or properly complemented would be altogether charming.

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## Tortured Women.

The married Druse women of Mount Lebanon, in Asia Minor, labor under a distinct species of torture endured under their peculiar head veil. It is attached to a long horn or tabor, usually made of metal, which is fastened to the head by means of a cushion. These headveils are of an infinite variety of colors, embellished with tassels, bands of embroidery and fringes. Underneath this again is worn a face veil of coarse thick net so heavily embroidered that one can scarcely see or breathe through it. This is fastened close to the face and the head drawn tightly over it. They are so muffled in the folds of these clumsy stuffs that the stranger has to look twice before he can decide whether they are advancing or retreating, and the poor wretches suffer acutely under the weight of their veils.

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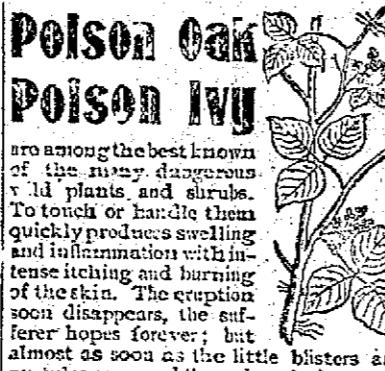


## TO ADVANCE THE RACE.

Aims and Objects of the Tuskegee Negro Conference.

Foremost of all the institutions formed by colored people for the advancement of the race is the Tuskegee negro conference, which holds its tenth annual meeting this month at Tuskegee, Ala. This conference was originated by Booker T. Washington and has steadily grown in power and influence under his energetic supervision.

The conference had its beginning a decade ago when Mr. Washington in-



## HE PRECEDED MARCONI

Wireless Telegraph's Real Inventor a Scotchman.

OPERATED IT AS EARLY AS 1854.

Wonderful Story of James Bowman Lindsay, Who Lighted His Room With Electricity in 1833 and Suffered Poverty for Years in the Cause of Science.

Wireless telegraphy was used long before Marconi first saw daylight.

As far back as 1854 James Bowman Lindsay of Carnwyl, a tiny seacoast town of Scotland, used a wireless system for sending messages, even patenting the invention, says the New York World. Lindsay had conceived the idea the year previously. He put it into successful operation in 1854, sending the first wireless message at Portsmouth, England. It was projected along the wall of an aqueduct. This message was sent a distance of 500 yards. Five years later Lindsay sent other messages across the river Tay, a distance of half a mile.

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The real inventor of wireless telegraphy was an extraordinary character.

By the canny Scotch people of his immediate neighborhood he was regarded as bewitched. Some said he held nightly communication with the devil, from whom he had learned all his knowledge of the black art. Lindsay was, however, only odd through his superior knowledge, which stood out in such strong contrast to the common knowledge around him that they could not but regard him as a marvel. Lindsay's solitary room in Dundee was lighted by an electric lamp in 1833, and he publicly exhibited this form of light in his favor.

Considering how far ahead of his times Lindsay was, he may be looked upon as one of the most remarkable natural philosophers who ever lived.

Ranking with Humboldt and Faraday. He was born in 1799 at the obscure little Scotch village of Carnwyl and in his early youth was taught the trade of weaving. He developed at a very early age a passionate craving for knowledge, studying all the books on natural phenomena which he could get his hands on.

At the age of twenty-two he began to work his way through the College of St. Andrew's. During recesses or long vacations he labored at his trade of weaving, thus managing to pay his own expenses through college.

When thirty years old, Lindsay showed so much knowledge and had such clear conceptions of physics and other kindred sciences that he was appointed a lecturer at the Watt Institute, Dundee. Here his classes were attended by large bodies of students, who came from far and near to hear the "strange creature" hold forth on science, in those days considered almost an occult art.

Some of them are only an acre or two, well elevated above the tide, while others are a quarter of a mile in diameter and running from that up to a mile or two in length and a quarter or less of the length in breadth. Many of them are granite structures that rise steeply from 20 to 100 feet, well covered with rich soil, through which small fresh water streams bury to the sea, which they reach after flowing over beds of glistering calcareous sand that are begirt by coral reefs, which form walls about the islands.

These particular islands are not large, as islands go, but very many of them are sufficient for the purpose of a Robinson Crusoe, or to use it for romantic fiction or for any other purpose, to the exclusion of all others in the world, you need have no trouble in finding one if you set out to make a journey to the Indian ocean.

In the waters between Madagascar and India you can find more than 15,000 of them, where there is not a human being and where you can, if you will, be monarch of all you survey.

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"My walk has benefited me vastly today," said Mr. Roosevelt. "I am quite ready for a brace of quails on toast."

"So am I," smiled Wm. "Only I shall prefer my brace to be turkeys." -New York Times.

## NEW NAME FOR POOR LO.

He is Now Known as an "American" to the Ethnologist.

The bureau of ethnology has invented a new name for the North American aborigines, says the Washington Post. When Columbus and his contemporaries first landed on the western continent, they supposed they had reached the eastern shores of India for the simple reason that, with their limited knowledge of geography, they could not imagine such a thing as an intervening continent lying within the vast expanse that separated western Europe from eastern Asia. Not was this notion dispelled until long after the expedition of Magellan. Such being the view entertained by the early explorers, it was only natural that they should name the inhabitants of the new found land "Indians."

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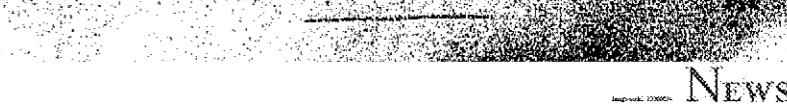
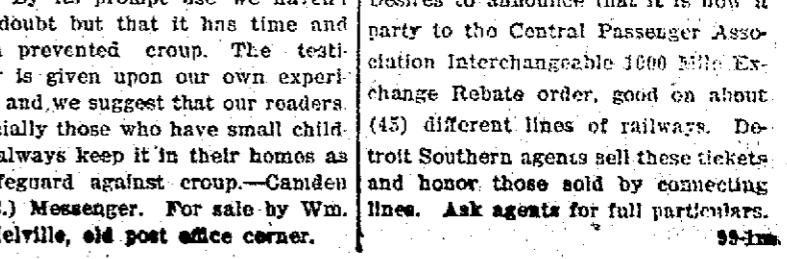
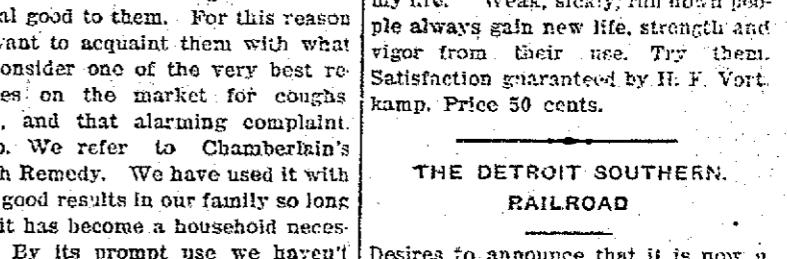
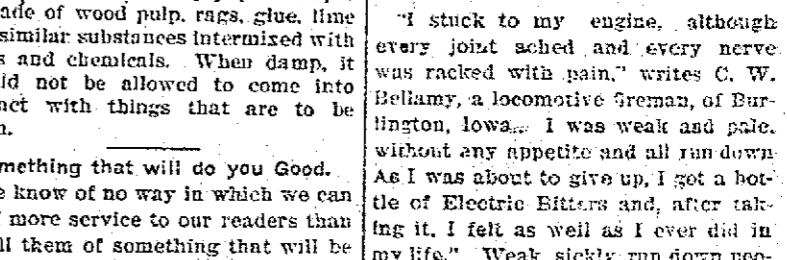
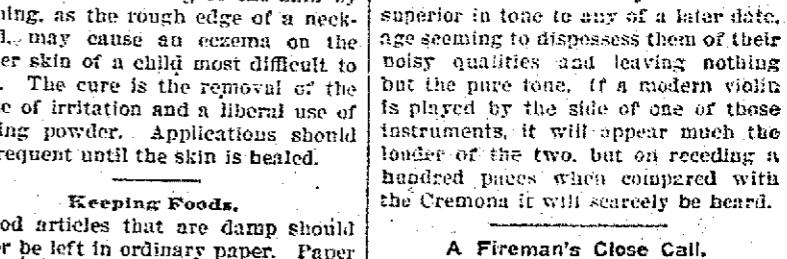
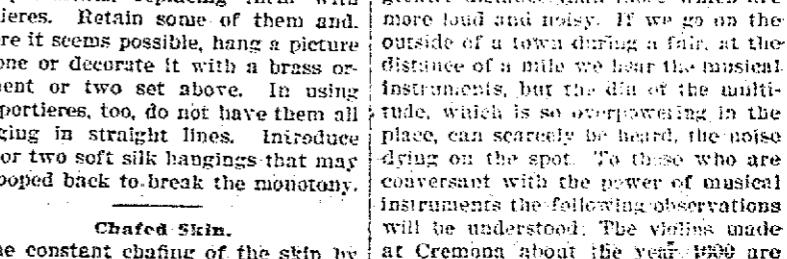
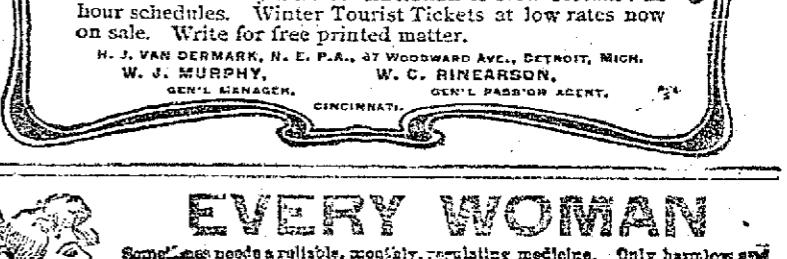
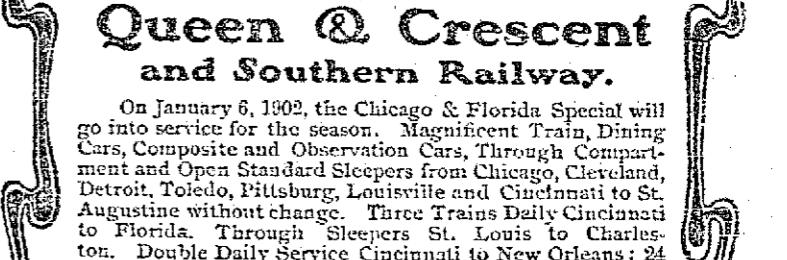


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## From Coal Gas

## Which Filled the Room as They Slept.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Rowlands Found Unconscious in Their Bed.

Had Been in That Condition Several Hours When Discovered.—Fortunate Discovery Made by J. B. Lomison.

The venerable Daniel Rowlands and wife who reside on south Main street, had a very narrow escape from death by asphyxiation Saturday morning and they have not yet fully recovered from the effects of their unfortunate experience.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowlands were alone in their home Friday night and Saturday morning one of the neighbors noticed that there was no stir about the house at the usual hour and as the noon hour approached and a daily man failed to receive any response to a rap at the door a neighbor started to investigate. A door was forced open and both Mr. and Mrs. Rowlands were found lying in bed in an unconscious condition.

Physicians were hastily summoned and after considerable time the patients regained consciousness but were very weak and ill and recovered very slowly. The cause of their condition was soon discovered. They had been burning coal in a magazine stove for heating purposes and before retiring Friday night had filled the magazine but had neglected the damper, which was found closed, consequently the gas that was generated by the coal as it was burned, filled the rooms. About 5 o'clock in the morning Mrs. Rowlands awoke and feeling very

weak and ill, she attempted to get up but did not have sufficient strength to do so, and falling back upon the bed, she soon became unconscious.

## A Fortunate Discovery.

Saturday night, J. B. Lomison, the grocer at Main and Vine streets, had closed up his place of business and was preparing to retire for the night when he was called upon to wait upon a man and wife who arrived late for their Sunday supply of groceries. He attended to the wants of the couple and was again preparing to retire when he detected the odor of gas and upon investigation he found that the light of several jets that he had left burning in one part of the building had gone out and the gas was escaping into the room where a coal fire was burning. The gas pressure had decreased permitting the lights to go out and had then increased and had Mr. Lomison not been detained by his late customers the result might have been very serious.

## SOCIAL

Session Will be Held by the Buffalo Herd.

Class of Fifteen, Shivering, Frightened Calves to be Initiated Tomorrow Evening.

Hear ye, Old Guards: There is a straggling round-up of hairless, timid, frightened calves hovering on the outskirts of the wallow, awaiting the approach of the brave old bison who have crossed and recrossed the desert lands where the bones of many of their ancestors lie bleaching in the hot sands that are seldom trod upon by tender hoofs. The old guards will assemble in the wallow tomorrow (Tuesday) evening and will proceed to teach these young things the noble requirements of a worthy bison and if they have strength to withstand the ordeal and are able to convince the esteemed person that they are morally and physically qualified to become members of our herd, wherein friendship, charity and brotherly love reigns supreme, they will be received into full membership and decorated with the insignia of worthy bison. Come on all ye old guards and aid in the work that may make worthy bison of these weak and untrained fledglings.

CHIEF BISON.

F-i-s-h at Townsend's.

## New Dress Trimmings.

With the many beautiful goods that are here for your inspection it's no task to maintain our leadership in this department. Gowns are to be trimmed more elaborately than ever this season and our extensive department is stocked with the many things best suited to embellish the prevalent modes.

Handsome Applique Bands in black, white and choice color combinations. Fancy Braids, Fancy Buttons, Pretty Buckles, Rich Laces, Lace Bands and Allovers.

This store is headquarters for Ribbons. Whatever sort of Ribbon you may desire, you are most likely to find it here, and in every instance the best qualities at the very lowest price. Many new Ribbon creations have just arrived.

*Feltmann & Co.*

209-211 North Main.

New Goods in every department arriving every day—New Suits, New Skirts, New Petticoats, New Corsets, New Hosiery, New Gloves, New Belts, New Chatelaines.

Our 20 Per Cent Off Winter Underwear Sale continues to attract economical buyers.

## MORE

## Litigation for the C. L. &amp; M.,

## Is Instituted

By B. C. Faurot in the Supreme Court.

A Case Taken Up from the Circuit to the State Supreme Court.

Mr. Faurot is the Plaintiff in the Action and the Defendants are Quite Numerous. Statement of the Case.

The Supreme court has been called upon to straighten out the financial troubles of the Columbus, Lima and Milwaukee Railway Company, says the Columbus Press-Post, through a suit filed Saturday, in which Ben. C. Faurot is plaintiff against E. H. Norton & Co., and about fifty other defendants. The Defiance county Circuit court entered a decree against Faurot, and he appealed to the case. It appears that he was the promoter of the road which was to be constructed from Cleveland, Ohio, to Columbus, Ohio, and bonds were sold amounting to \$500,000 before a receiver took charge of the road. The Lorain Steel Company has a claim against the company amounting to \$125,000. A. Bruner, another, for \$52,000; Flora A. Mahon, \$16,634, besides numerous other creditors. W. J. Dawson, a Cincinnati attorney, who filed the suit in the Supreme court, as the representative of Faurot, has opposed to him for the defendants in error about fifty attorneys and they have thus far made life interesting for him and his clients.

Becomes Nickle Plate Agent. Wallace A. McGowan, says the Cincinnati Enquirer, who has been agent of the Red Line at St. Louis, has been appointed agent of the Nickle Plate line at Kansas City, succeeding Mr. Curtis who has been appointed general western agent of the New York, Chicago and St. Louis road, with headquarters at Omaha. Mr. McGowan has a host of friends in Cincinnati, where he was located for many years with the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road, and later was the representative of the Lake Erie and Western.

## TENDERLY

Laid at Rest Amid Tears and Flowers.

The last sad rites over all that is mortal of Mrs. Rose Collins, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Collins, were performed this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the late residence in the Collins block. The profusion of flowers was a silent but earnest testimony of the high esteem in which Mrs. Collins has always been held by her many friends and acquaintances. Rev. Figley, of Trinity M. E. church, officiated. The remains were consigned to their last resting place in Woodlawn cemetery.

## REVIVAL

Services at Baptist Church Largely Attended.

Yesterday was a good day for the revival services at the First Baptist church. Three good audiences greeted Rev. Risner and two more persons responded to the invitation to identify themselves with the membership of the church. The sermon last night was clear, convincing and forcible, and commanded rapt attention to its close. Mr. Risner is a power in evangelistic work and in the short time of his labors has lead 500 souls into the Kingdom. Those who would hear him and get the benefit of the meetings must attend now. Subject this evening at 7:30, "Weighed and Found Wanting."

## CARNIVAL OF THE FLOWERS

by Miss Reilly's Juvenile dancing class, music hall, Tuesday, Feb. 18th, 7 p. m. Admission 15 cents, children 10 cents.

## SOCIAL

Events Furnish Constant Diversion.

For the Feminine Portion of the City.

Visit of the Sutorium Circle to the Elegant Country Home of J. M. Sealts, in Perry Township.

Last Friday night was a gala one for the Sutorium circle who with their husbands, drove out to the country home of Mr. and Mrs. James Sealts, for an evening of fun. The house was fragrant with the perfume of carnations, and ferns were used effectively in decorating. An informal program was given, Mrs. James Campbell reading a paper on St. Valentine's Day, Mrs. Avery read an amusing story and Mrs. E. V. Wells sang, then came "A Musical Romance" in which all joined, other games and music were in order after the enjoyment of a fine supper. The guests reaching town about one o'clock. Miss Hathaway and Mr. Orin Andrews were additional guests.

The Ladies Aid Society of Grace church will give a reception next Wednesday afternoon from two till five, at the home of Mrs. G. J. Stranahan, 724 south Metcalf street.

The Spine Club will be entertained next Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Sam Finch, of west Elm street.

Last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rech, of west High street, entertained the members of the choir of the Wayne street Church of Christ by giving a very pretty Valentine party. Hearts were the timely decorations used with excellent effect in each room. An informal musical program was carried out giving pleasure to all and a three course supper was one of the features of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Beckman entertained the Rustic Club last Friday evening, including also the following friends: Mr. and Mrs. George Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Ridenour, Mrs. Ollis Harmon, Miss Carrie Rhoda, Mr. Charles Fuller, Mr. Clarence Reel, Miss Elsie Harper, Mr. Oscar Frey. The club prizes were won by Mr. Elmer Hammel, the former receiving a pretty cup and saucer and the latter a solid bowl. The guest prizes were secured by Mr. Charles Fuller and Miss Carrie Rhoda. A social session ensued with an appetizing supper.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Henderson, of west Spring street, entertained the following friends at cards: Mr. and Mrs. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Finch, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Catt, Mr. and Mrs. Bush, Judge and Mrs. T. D. Robb, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stagman, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Parmenter, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Kahle, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Clutter, Dr. and Mrs. Abner Jones, Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Sullivan. In the contest at cards, Mrs. Foster secured the handsome trophy, a hand painted plate, and Mr. Clutter the man's prize, a box of cigars. Supper well served, followed the merry game.

One of the pleasant social events of last week was a Valentine party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Kerr, on Friday evening, when the ladies of the Sunshine circle entertained their husbands.

The Clinton club will meet with Mrs. Owen, of west High street, this evening.

## TWO "BINGS."

The Blazes were Small and the Damage Slight.

Saturday night at 11 o'clock a fire alarm called the north side department laddies to fight Jefferson street, to distinguish a blaze that had started from an overheated stove in a shanty that some boys had been occupying as a play house. No adjoining property was damaged and consequently no loss was noted.

Yesterday an alarm from box 32 called the central department to 1013 east North street, the home of August Anderegg, where a defective flue had caused a slight blaze. The damage was slight.

## A PACKED HOUSE.

The west Wayne street church of Christ was packed last night to hear the subject of the "Modern Dance" Mr. Brundige is an able and convincing speaker. He will speak Sunday night, Feb. 23d on the subject, "The Greatest Curse of the 20th Century."



## Bluem's Annual Linen Event.

Holiday throngs were again in evidence during our first day's sale of household linens, and although we increased the help by nearly half we had hard times handling the many anxious linen buyers. But during this week we will be better prepared than ever to show you the many thousands of yards of snow white flax we have been gathering here for months past.

Yes, when you were thinking of Thanksgiving turkey we were preparing for this sale.

This is a grand opportunity for hotels, boarding houses and restaurants to supply their wants in dependable linens at the

## "BLUEM STANDARD"

Of quality and moderate price.

## BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK.



## CREAM DAMASKS.

54-inch, good assortment of patterns, 25c yard.

62-inch, extra quality, big line of patterns, all linen, 40c yard.

72-inch, extra heavy, beautiful damask patterns. Regular 75c quality. Special for this sale, 65c yard.

## DAMASK NAPKINS.

Never in any sale of linens have such money saving values been offered. The one lot of 25 dozen we are now selling is a regular \$1.20 grade and we have made the low price of these all linen goods \$1.00 dozen.

Other prices range at \$1.25, 1.75, 2.00, 2.60, 3.50, 4.25, 4.50, 5.00, 6.00 and \$7.00 dozen.

## LINEN TOWELS.

18x36 inch, hemmed, huck, bought special for this sale, 10c each.

19x36 inch, hemstitched huck, bought special for this sale, 13c each.

23x45 inch, hemstitched huck with satin in damask border, worth 35c, for this sale, special, 25c each.

Hemstitched or knotted fringe, white damask, regular 35c quality, 25c each.

Hemstitched or knotted fringe, white damask, bought special for this sale, 30c each.

Double satin damask, knotted fringe, scalloped and drawn work. Extraordinarily handsome, bought special for this sale, \$1.25 each.

We have some extra good qualities in cotton and linen crashes, white bed spreads, plain and fringed, art linens, lunch cloths, scarfs and sheetings. Watch the announcements every day.



## Dress Goods.

## 55-57 Public Square.

## Suit

## House.



## LINGERING

Illness of Alvie Cotner Ends in Death.

Alvie Cotner, the 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cotner, passed away at his home, 919 east Market street, last night at about 6 o'clock.

About one year ago, it became apparent that lung trouble was beginning to develop. Since that time, the young man's health has not been good, in fact he has been on the decline for several weeks past.

Alvie Cotner was born in Putnam county, O., Dec. 21, 1881.

He was a bright, energetic young man and leaves behind him sorrowing friends.

At 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon

the funeral services will be held from the Wayne street church of Christ, Rev. Brundige officiating. Interment will take place in Woodlawn cemetery.

Asa Catt has opened the Opera House News Stand in the room formerly occupied by the Harley pharmacy, in the opera house block, opposite the police station. All the city dailies are always on hand. Don't forget the number, 116 west High street.

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LIMA LODGE, NO. 205, F. & A. M. Stated communication this evening, CHAS. W. LEWIS, W. M. WALLACE LANDIS, Secy.

## I. O. O. F. NOTICE.

Notice—All members of Allen Lodge No. 223 are requested to meet in their hall this evening at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of making arrangements for the funeral of Brother E. O. Hitchcock, J. W. EVERETT, N. G.

Rev. Father Bradley, formerly assistant of St. Rose parish, will give a lecture in St. John's church on March 4 on "The Two Stone Monuments of Ireland." Admission 50 cents. Tickets on sale at Vortkamp's drug store and J. M. Arndt's grocery.

## HORSES FOR SALE.

Michigan horses, drivers and work horses, for private sale at our stables on south McDonald street; every horse guaranteed and a fair trial given.

FALLOT & ASHTON

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